Power Management Settings

To get to the Power Management settings:
Start … Settings … Control Panels … Power Management (in XP it's just Start…Control Panel…Power Management or Power Options.

The Power Management control panel usually has 1-4 tabs. Yours may have only two of these: Power Scheme, Sleep, Hibernate, Advanced and UPS.

Power Scheme: allows you to set the amount of time your computer is idle before switching into low-power mode to conserve electricity. You should experiment with the times to determine what suits your needs and work style.

Hibernate: Saves your settings and shuts down at the time you set. When reactivated it resumes the same screen when it went into hibernation.

UPS: Uninterruptible Power Supply are settings installed when you connect your computer to a UPS unit if you install the software that usually comes with a UPS unit.

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